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Quote of the Week:

"Villefranche will be great... trust me."

Ben Farella

Lady Vees... oh so close

by John Walsh

The dream of a national title for the Laurentian Women's Basketball team came to a end Sunday night. The Lady-Vees were upset by the University of Victoria Vikettes 54-52 in the CIAU championship game at Laval University, Quebec.

The Lady Vees went into the C.I.A.U. Championship Tournament as the #1 ranked team in Canada, the only unbeaten team in reregular season play, and recent Ontario champs. The Vikettes were ranked #2.

They beat Brock 80-50 on Friday, Anne Rimmes lead with 18 points, followed by Caorol Hamilton with 16 and Sandy Stevenson with 15.

Saturday the Vees squeaked by a strong University of Winnipeg team 47-45, Chantal St-Martin lead with 12 points and Carol Hamilton had 11. The victory over Winnipeg put the Vees in the C.I.A.U. final for the second time in four years.

The Vikettes reached the final with a semi-final victory over Manitoba.

Laurentian and Victoria are without a doubt the two best teams in Canada. They are stacked with impressive players. University of Victoria has three national team members, Laurie Clarke, Janet Fowler and A. Karsh. Laurie Clarke is this year's Nan Kapp winner, symbolic of the best woman basketball player in Canada. Clarke is also a C.I.A.U. all-star and fifth year player.

Laurentian has former Nan Kapp award winner, National Team member and 5 year

C.I.A.U. all-star Carol Hamilton, C.I.A.U. player of the week, Ontario first team all-star, Ontario Championship Tournament M.V.P. and team spark-plug Sandy Stevensen, along with 2nd team all stars, Sharon Knowles and Shirlene McLean.

The Lady Vees are also blessed with one of the country's strongest benches with Patti Johnson, Chantal St. Martin, Kelly Edwards, Sheila Ivan, Nancy Harrison and others. They also have one of the Province's best centres in Anne Rimmes.

The stage was set for a battle for the Bronze Baby Trophy, awarded to the C.I.A.U. champion.

Victoria jumped out in front 10-2, which ended up being the biggest lead either of the teams would hold. Laurentian pulled back and eventually went up by 4. Both teams settled down and began to display some awesome defense.

The pesky Laurentian defense caused UVic to turn over the ball sevberal times. It appeared the Victoria team had great difficulty handling the Laurentian press, and the Vees capitalized on the turnovers.

However, Victoria's defense proved to be a stubborn opponent, and frustrated the Lady Vees squad. Laurentian got into a bit of foul trouble early which allowed Victoria to capitalize by scoring 9 points on free throws, compared to Laurentian's 2.

The half-time score was 29-27 in favour of Laurentian.

Both teams came out in the second half relying on their

defense. The game was slow and methodical. Laurentian seemed to have difficulty cracking the Victoria defense. The Vikettes forced Laurentian to move outside and took the inside game away.

At the other end of the court Laurentian played stickly defense, they did however, allow Victoria to get inside on a number of occasions. Laurie Clarke and tournament M.V.P., Janet Fowler gave Laurentian most of their problems. Fowler ended the game with 25 points, the high scorer of the game.

Laurentian stayed up by one or two points, and with 5 minutes left seemed to be pulling away. McLean, Knowles, Johnson, Stevenson, and Hamilton began to take over as the Ladies went up by 6 points.

However, Victoria, last year's finalist and the 1985 champions (when they beat Laurentian 71-52) is a bit more experienced than Laurentian, and it began to come through in the final minutes.

With Laurentian ahead 52-48 and 1:36 remaining star player Laurie Clarke fouled out. Victoria did not fold, rather they roared back. With a three point play by Janet Fowler followed by a Laurentian give away, Victoria was soon up 53-52 with only seconds left.

Laurentian's effort to regain the lead faltered with a couple of turnovers which gave the ball back to Victoria. The last turnover came with just 23 seconds left to play. The Lady Vees could not get the ball back. When the Vees fouled out, the Vikettes chose to take the ball from the side



The Lady Vees practising earlier this week

rather than shoot free throws. With one second left, Victoria put in the final foul shot and the game was over. The Vikettes were pthe C.I.A.U. champions for the fifth time under coach Kathy Shields.

The result is heart breaking for the Lady Vees. The women and C.I.A.U coach of the year,

Peter Ennis, deserve a standing ovation from all of us for their effort and dedication. You've provided Laurentian with some excellent entertainment and outstanding championships

To all team members and coach Ennis we thank you and wish you the best of luck for next year.

Lambda bilingue: delai puis référendum

par Dominique Poulin

Les francophones ont reçu un délai de deux semaines en ce qui concerne le contenu francophone dans le nouveau Lambda bilingue.

Lors de la réunion du conseil de l'AEF, mardi dernier, l'accord entre le Lambda et l'AEF au sujet des deux pages de contenu français dans le Lambda fut renouvelé pour deux semaines.

La raison de ce cours délai est que les élections générales

de l'AEF auront lieu dans deux semaines. Lors de ces élections aura lieu un référendum durant lequel les membres de l'AEF seront posé la grande question: Etes-vous prêt à payé pour une voix représentative de votre culture dans le Lambda, c'est à dire voulez-vous un journal bilingue l'année prochaine.

Cet accord, originellement schedulé pour un essai d'un mois, à été renouvelé grâce au succès du Lambda bilingue et à la reeaction favorable des membres de l'AEF.

Lyse Lamothe, présidente de l'AEF affirme que, "C'est (le Lambda bilingue) quelque chose dont tout le monde peut profiter."

Lianne Valiquette, encharge des activités socio-culturelles ajout que "jusqu'à date ça fonctionne bien et les commentaires reçus sont favorables. Moi, j'aime l'idée parcequ'on a finalement une façon de communiquer avec nos membres."

En ce qui concerne le référendum, Lamothe et

Valiquette n'ont aucune idée des tendances des membres face à la question d'un Lambda bilingue pour l'année prochaine.

Guy Pilon, vice-president de l'AEF, croit que les membres iront pour le OUI. "Le Lambda est la réalisation visible du fait bilingue, les membres voient que c'est possible et que ça marche. Je crois qu'ils voteront oui."

Malheureusement, ce référendum semble mal organisé. Jean-Noël Roy, président

d'élections, n'était même pas au courant qu'un référendum allait avoir lieu et que la question d'un journal bilingue pour l'année prochaine serait sur le ballot.

Un comité doit être former pour rédiger la question allant sur le ballot. Les gens intéressés à siège sur ce comité sont prié de se rendre au local de l'AEF.

OSAP improved for 1987!

The funding allocated to the Ontario Student Assistance Program (OSAP) for the 1987-88 academic year has been increased by 17%.

What are the major changes?

- increased living allowances;
- smaller contributions from parents;
- a special grant package for sole-support parents;
- increased grants for single independent students;
- increased funding for the Ontario Special Bursary and Work Study programs;
- interest relief on provincial loans.

What do the changes mean to me?

- increase in average grant assistance;
- larger grants mean smaller loans and a reduced debt when you graduate.

Where can I get more details?

Contact your financial aid office on campus.

How do I apply?

OSAP applications for the 1987-88 academic year will be available from the financial aid office of your college or university in early April.



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OSAP

Du nouveau pour le RAFEO en 1987

Les fonds alloués au Régime d'aide financière aux étudiants de l'Ontario (RAFEO) ont été augmentés de 17 pour 100 pour l'année d'études 1987-1988.

Quels sont les principaux changements?

- augmentation des allocations de chambre, de pension et de dépenses personnelles;
- réduction de la contribution des parents;
- considération spéciale pour les familles monoparentales recevant de l'aide sociale;
- augmentation des bourses destinées aux étudiants célibataires qui ne sont pas à la charge de leur famille;
- augmentation des fonds destinés au Régime de bourses spéciales de l'Ontario et au Régime travail-études de l'Ontario;
- remise d'intérêt sur les prêts consentis par la province.

Qu'est-ce que ces changements signifient pour moi?

- hausse de la moyenne de la bourse;
- des bourses plus élevées et des prêts moindres, donc une dette moins lourde à rembourser une fois vos études terminées.

Où puis-je obtenir plus de détails?

Contactez le bureau de l'aide financière de votre campus.

Comment puis-je bénéficier du RAFEO?

Vous pourrez vous procurer le formulaire de demande du RAFEO pour l'année d'études 1987-1988 au bureau de l'aide financière de votre collège ou université, au début d'avril.



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RAFEO

Daniel receives award from French Government

(Laurentian News Release)

The French Minister of National Education, Mr. René Monory, recently announced through the intermediary of the French Embassy in Canada, that Dr. John S. Daniel has been made Chevalier de l'Ordre des Palmes Académiques.

This high distinction bears witness to France's appreciation for the work accomplished by Dr. Daniel on behalf of the French language in Canada. "By means of the energy, imagination and optimism which you have displayed throughout your brilliant career, you have illustrated the French culture while devoting yourself to the development of Canadian bilingualism," stated Mr. Jean-Pierre Cabouat, the Ambassador, adding "I personally attach great value to the work you have accomplished through your academic abilities as well as

your personal influence."

In his varied career John Daniel, President of Laurentian University, has played an important role in educational development at the provincial, national and international levels.

After teaching for some time at Britain's Open University, he joined the team setting up the Université du Québec's Télé-université. From 1977 to 1980 he was Vice-President at Athabasca University in Alberta before returning to Montreal in 1980 as Vice-Rector, Academic of Concordia University. He took over as President of Laurentian University in 1984.

In addition to his institutional responsibilities Dr. Daniel is a leader of educational innovation both nationally and internationally. He is chairman of the Canadian Higher Education Research Network in which he is spearheading

the use of computer conferencing in academia. He was President of the International Council for Distance Education from 1982 to 1985, a period of dynamic growth in off-campus education worldwide. In 1986 he became the first Canadian ever appointed to the Advisory Board of UNESCO's Centre for Postsecondary Education.

The title of Chevalier de l'Ordre des Palmes Académiques is the second oldest French decoration, having been created by Napoleon the First in 1808. It is presented to members of learned societies, writers and scholars who have devoted their talent to public education, and to persons who have made an effective contribution to teaching. The Palmes have thus become France's leading academic and cultural decoration.

During his stay in Quebec, in the face of the French-English



Dr. John Daniel

issue, he realized that Quebec and Canada had to have a clear and sustained debate on the Francophone presence in the country. "This is why at Laurentian I advocate that the issue be discussed in the open," said Dr. Daniel.

"In Quebec I have seen this tendency of Francophones to

isolate themselves and I deplore the fact that in Ontario this same tendency seems to appear periodically," he said. "I believe that Laurentian University is in a very good position to reflect the radical change that has taken place in Canada concerning the people's perception of our bilingual national identity, while enabling the Franco-Ontarians to obtain more services in French and thus create environments where French is truly in common usage. I see no dichotomy at all between the two."

President Daniel stated that he was very flattered by this honour, suggesting that it is perhaps France's way of saying: "We see that something good and positive is taking place at Laurentian." In conclusion, he said that he was proud to be leader of this enterprise.

Locals honoured

by Karen Dominick

Two Sudburians, who last summer decided to be their own boss, received the Minister's award for Outstanding Achievement from Gregory Sorbara (Ont. Skills Development Minister) during a ceremony at the Park Plaza Hotel in Toronto.

Andrew Undeschini was awarded for his efforts with The Cotton Club - an unlicensed bar for teenagers, on Elm street.

Pierre Labelle who graduated from Cambrian College's Civil Engineering Technology program last May returned home to Sturgeon Falls to open a landscaping business with André Constantin. Labelle says he heard

of the program from pamphlets lying around the college. He believes the programs are beneficial since the "seem to be putting a lot of young people in the mainstream, and they are the bearers of our future," he said.

The Youth Venture Capital program is open to young people between the ages of 18 and 24, who are not full-time students. They are eligible for loans up to \$5 000. An interest-free loan of up to \$3 000 is available through the Student Venture program to full-time students over 15 years of age. These loans must be repaid in full by October 1. The Chamber of Commerce will be accepting applications until June 12, 1987.

SGA elections

by D.J. Noppe

The nominations for SGA elections are officially open. So far only several individuals have declared themselves as candidates. "Students should take an active interest in the election and the candidates," said SGA President Ben Farella.

The change to the positions for which the SGA membership will be voting is relatively simple. Instead of directly voting for four positions, SGA members will be voting for candidates for the positions of President and Vice-President. The positions of Director of Finance, Director of Internal Affairs and the Director of Bilingual Affairs will be determined by the elected SGA council. Otherwise, voting procedure remains the same.

"It's important that students realize that they can provide direction for these positions through their elected representatives," Farella said.

Other positions voted on by the SGA membership are; Women's Commissioner, Men's Commissioner, International Commissioner, four Senators and Representatives-at-large.

There is a financial honorarium available for the positions of President, Vice President, Director of Finance, Director of Internal Affairs and of Bi-lingual Affairs.

The dates for the election are March 24, 25 and 26.

"It's the most exciting time for student politics at the university level. I am hoping that some excitement will be generated at this year's election as well," Farella said.

FEO: réaction favorable

(Communiqué) La Fédération des étudiant-e-s de l'Ontario a réagit de façon favorable à l'augmentation de 17% au Régime d'aide financière aux étudiants de l'Ontario, annoncée par le gouvernement provincial.

"La réforme annoncée par le ministre Greg Sorbara répond à plusieurs des revendications étudiantes", a dit Matt Certosimo, président de la FEO, qui représente quelques 200 000 membres.

Certosimo mentionne l'étude détaillée présentée au ministre des Collèges et Universités en janvier dernier et intitulée Students Look at Student Aid. "L'étude que nous avons menée dénonçait l'endettement consi-

dérable des étudiants qui sont forcés d'hypothéquer leur avenir, et examinait les nombreuses barrières financières qui réduisent l'accessibilité de notre système d'éducation. La réforme annoncée est donc très encourageante", a dit M. Certosimo.

Certaines revendications de la FEO sont toutefois restées sans écho. Par exemple, la FEO revendiquait de plus longues périodes d'admissibilité aux bourses, une augmentation des allocations de subsistance, une situation plus réaliste quant aux économies provenant des emplois d'été, ainsi qu'une plus grande importance accordée aux étudiants à temps

partiel.

"Il reste beaucoup à faire pour que le RAFFEO répond aux réalités d'aujourd'hui et aux besoins changeants de l'avenir en Ontario" a ajouté M. Certosimo.

La FEO est présentement en tournée à travers la province pour demander aux groupes étudiants et au public leurs points de vue sur les besoins d'aujourd'hui et de demain en matière d'éducation. La tournée, intitulée "Les jeunes s'interrogent", prendra fin le 31 mars prochain à Toronto. En avril, la FEO remettra un rapport sur les résultats de la tournée.

Elections '87

par Guy Pilon

Le terme du conseil de l'Association des Etudiants Francophones (AEF) tire à sa fin. Il est grand temps non seulement de compter les accomplissements de celui-ci mais aussi de songer à l'élection du nouveau conseil.

La mise en candidature aurait normalement lieu du 2 au 7 mars mais à cause "d'imprévu", nous rappelle la présidente, cette date a été retardé de deux jours. La mise en candidature aura lieu du 4

au 10 mars.

La nomination d'un président d'élections a été pénible. Au tout début, une âme chaleureuse s'est offerte mais en fin de compte une autre personne a été choisie. Suite à une réunion du conseil de 2 mars dernier, le président d'élection désigné, Bruno Gaudette, s'est retiré puisqu'il désirait se présenter aux élections.

En fin de compte, c'est Jean-Noël Roy qui fut nommé président d'élections. Il a pris l'initiative de s'occuper de

toute la machinerie de l'élection.

"C'était un peu lent au début mais trois personnes se présentent définitivement et quatre autres sont en attente" annonce Roy.

Roy laisse aussi entendre que "plusieurs postes seront probablement acclamés cette année encore."

Les personnes intéressés à se présenter ont jusqu'à mardi le 10 mars à 15h00 pour remettre leur mise en candidature.

Lambda and autonomy

At Lambda we are autonomous from the SGA, that means that although we have a close working relationship with them, we are not directly linked to them. They have no say in what we print, when we print it, or why we print what we do. It is important for us as a student organization to be separate, we need to be autonomous to be objective. There are many student newspapers that are not autonomous, and they suffer, they have little or no editorial control.

We are asking for a four dollar increase in our student levy. It's not very much when you consider what you get for it.

We need this money to be self reliant, a student newspaper must be autonomous. A couple of years ago when we became autonomous, we fought long and hard. We don't want to see this effort go to waste. Lambda should be important enough to pay an extra four

dollars.

I realize that every little bit does tend to add up, trust me we are finding that out here as well. I really believe that if you stop to consider what you get from Lambda, you will vote in favour of the resolution on the ballot. We don't feel that we are making an unreasonable request. Last year on a separate ballot CFLR managed to get a \$4.00 increase this year and a \$6.00 dollar increase in the student levy for next year.

The student levy is the amount that we receive per SGA student. At present we receive \$7.50, not exactly a stunning sum of money. We need the extra four dollars to keep up with increasing costs and improve the quality of our publication. It is interesting to note that the highest paid person in Lambda receives an honourarium of \$2,500. The lowest paid SGA executive member is paid over \$3,000. The money you give to Lambda

isn't entering anybody's pocket, it's paying for printing, photography, distribution, supplies and a multitude of other expenses that have become too expensive for our current budget.

The resolution will appear on the ballot during the SGA elections in the upcoming elections.

I think that most of you who read Lambda will agree that we are not a public relations vehicle for the SGA, at times we are far from it. We are here to serve the students, keep you informed, and uncover all the juicy scandals (that would be the rumours columns).

Take some time to consider the paper, we feel that we are unbiased, fair, and entertaining. We try to give the students what they want, and I think we succeed.

Jenifer Rush

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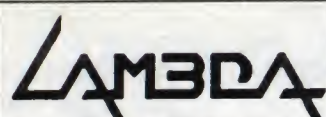
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What are we?

Lambda is the weekly student newspaper of, by, and for the students of Laurentian University. Lambda is funded through a direct student levy by members of the Students' General Association and is autonomous from all University organizations, both student and administrative.

Principles

Lambda is a member of Canadian University Press (CUP) and, as a member, respects, defends, and upholds the CUP Statement of Principles and Code of Ethics.

Who are we?

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Staff Membership

Staff membership is open to all members of the Laurentian University community and is contingent upon three published contributions during the fall term, or five published contributions during the academic year.

Staff Meetings

Unless otherwise posted, staff meetings are on Fridays at 4:00 pm. All students are invited to express their suggestions, opinions, and encouragement at this time (or drop in anytime).

Letters to the Editor

While Lambda has an open letters policy, we reserve the right to edit any submission for length. All letters must bear the author's full name and telephone number.

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A referendum for Lambda

On the ballot this year at the SGA general elections, you will be asked if you are willing to pay an extra four dollars to Lambda next year.

Up to now, when you pay those extra fees on top of your tuition at the beginning of the year, \$7.50 goes to Lambda. It has been that way since 1976.

And so, reluctantly, we are asking for an increase in order to continue operations, and improve the quality of your student newspaper.

There have been some very

heavy years of inflation between 1976 and 1987, and we are in desperate need of an increase.

At the same time, the AEF members will be asked if they wish to pay the student levy next year as well.

This year the AEF council has paid Lambda directly for the French content. If the AEF membership says yes to their referendum, Lambda will have a permanent bilingual policy.

Our mandate at Lambda is to

serve the University community as well as we can. If the SGA and the AEF memberships do not say yes to their respective referendums our ability to execute that mandate will be severely hampered.

During elections, I ask you to support your student newspaper and vote Yes. If you have any questions drop by the office and we will be more than happy to answer them.

Ted Markle

The SGA announces...

Election '87

The following positions are open for nominations:

•President •Vice-President •Senator(4) •Rep. at Large
•Women's Commissioner •International Commissioner

This is your student government... get involved!

Nominations close March 20th

For information drop by the SGA office on student street

Futur Président...

Cher rédacteur\trice

Il y a un mois, j'ai vocalisé mes opinions au sujet du manque d'initiative et d'organisation au sein de l'AEF. Depuis ce temps, j'ai beaucoup pensé à ma situation pour l'an prochain... J'avais trois alternatives:

- 1) Prendre une année de congé et aller à Paris.
- 2) M'inscrire à la Laurentienne ou une autre université canadienne et n'être qu'un étudiant "inactif" -- politiquement.
- 3) Me présenter à un poste du Conseil (que je crois trop nombreux) de l'AEF.

Bien, ce matin, le jeudi 5 mars, j'ai fait mon choix. J'ai décidé de me présenter à la présidence de l'AEF.

Je ne ferai pas de promesses électorales -- tout le monde sait que celles-ci ne se gardent jamais... regarder le Premier-Ministre -- car, ce n'est pas une seule personne qui fera les décisions, mais tout le Conseil. Cependant, je désire stresser que j'aimerais, si élu, 1) avoir quelque chose de concret -- tel qu'un annuaire académique -- à offrir aux membres dès la rentrée en septembre;

- 2) avoir un meilleur lien de coopération avec la SGA et co-

produire avec eux des événements -- tel que la semaine d'ouverture et un carnaval d'hiver combiné; 3) rendre le crédit aux gens qui le méritent lorsque des événements sont organisés, et non pas faire paraître que c'est moi qui ait tout fait.

Le choix résidera dans les mains des électeurs lorsqu'ils s'attaqueront aux urnes sous-peu. C'est ce choix qui mènera les conséquences.

Sincèrement vôtre,
Guy-André Michaud

A different view

Dear Editor,
(re: Editorial March 2, 1987
"A view from the stands")

There's nothing I hate more than people who shoot their mouths off before they get the facts straight. First of all, *Faithful Basketball Fan*, I was behind the bench cheering for our faithful Vees. The only thing I said to the team was "that they should go home to the city of losers such as the Argos and the Leafs, and one more won't make any difference." And I don't think this wasn't within the bounds of goodtaste and harmful. Plus, if you think taunting them with the song "Na na na na Hey hey Good Bye" is tasteless then you'd better talk to millions of sports fans around the world. I also noticed that you failed to

mention the fact that the coach of Ryerson was also saying things derogatory about the fans, he not only called me a F_____ A_____ H_____, but he also called everyone over in the cheap seats the same thing. It got to the point where a couple sitting behind the bench left because they had never heard a coach use such profane language to fans and wanted their money back. And now, for you *Faithful Basketball Fans*, I didn't say a word to the team when they walked off the court. The trainer just turned around and slugged me in the face, and then two players got into it. And as for not showing class, I think I showed more class and maturity by not throwing a punch. I walked away from it. The taunts that were used were in good taste or else the officials or security would have removed me... What I'm saying here is that I don't condone what happened and yet I don't condemn it. So next time, *Faithful Basketball Fans*, next time you open your mouths get the facts straight.

P.S. I thought newspapers were supposed to get the truth before they print an article, that's what makes the difference between an O.K. paper and a top notch one.

Terry Kucera

C'est à vot' tour

Chère Rédactrice,

On dira ce qu'on voudra à propos de René Lévesques (P'tit Poil de son surnom), personnellement j'ai été enchantée par sa conférence du 25 février. Plutôt que de le blâmer et de lui reprocher son indifférence vis-à-vis les francophones hors-Québec, ces derniers devraient admirer sa détermination et son culot. En effet, les franco-ontariens auraient fort à apprendre de lui. Il n'incombe pas au Québec de sauver la francophonie en dehors de son territoire. Si les francophones de l'Ontario ne sont pas morts, qu'ils le prouvent et qu'ils fassent quelque chose pour eux-mêmes: "La Nuit sur l'Etang" ainsi que d'autres institutions du genre sont certes une manifestation louable du dynamisme franco-nord-ontarien, mais pour être reconnu il ne faut jamais être contenté. Vous savez ce qu'il faisait, Lévesques, lors des débats à Ottawa. Il quémandait! Toujours plus, continuellement, il demandait une part plus large du gâteau, conscient du besoin de sa "nation" et de son caractère unique au Canada. Non, il n'était pas question pour lui que les québécois se contentent de ce que l'on veut bien leur donner. Les autres provinces

avaient beau grogner d'indignation, il insistait jusqu'à ce que le gouvernement fédéral octroie. René Lévesques a toujours cru au Québec, on pouvait sentir vibrer cet enthousiasme de toute sa "petite" personne ce soir-là, à l'auditorium Fraser. Un tel amour, une telle euphorie pour son peuple et sa culture mènent inmanquablement à l'action, qu'on accuse une telle attitude comme étant ou non utopiste. Ce que le Québec, comme toute la population francophone du Canada, veut, c'est la RECONNAISSANCE, le droit d'être différent et de continuer d'agir dans ce sens. Ce qu'il reste à faire, c'est la foi en soi et l'amour de sa culture. Ce qu'il reste à faire, c'est de relever les manches et de se battre (diplomatiquement s'entend) pour atteindre son but! A insister sur la différence on ne crée pas la séparation mais l'indépendance. A accepter cette indépendance on ne crée pas la guerre, mais on rend possible l'unité et la paix entre deux peuples.

d'une québécoise pure-laine
Guylaine Gauthier

Progress and madness...

This will be the last plaintive cry from the last sane Lambda staffer in the land. There is no hope, as I'm sure you all know. There is nothing to do but surrender. Like Charlie Chaplin in "Modern Times", our fingers caught in the keys of the assembly line, we can only whimper, roll over and succumb to the greater wisdom of the age that overcomes us.

This is the fate of we journalists, we the ink-stained wretches who are being overtaken by technology. Those of us who are prisoners of the language of Shakespeare are being swallowed by the computer. The Machine that Ate

Noppes's Column (and Jen's essay) lurks in a tiny room in the Lambda office smirking with a MacIntosh smile (it's probably plotting against me with Markle).

It's the monster called Progress and it's supposedly for the greater good. It's good for profits and for production. It's not good for the individual ulcer, nervous breakdown or heart attack. But Progress must proceed before all.

There was a time (I read about it in the history books) when journalism was simple. One did one's fumbling little prose in a phone booth, on a bus, in a motel room and then phoned a number. A limber

young lady, often called "Magic Fingers", could type as fast as the intrepid reporter could dictate. The Pulitzer Prize winning copy disappeared into the unfathomable mess that appeared as print on the doorstep the next morning (or in a week if it's Lambda).

That was too simple - mainly because it worked. Today there are microchips. Today a struggling scribe must not only be a wordsmith but a combination electrician, technician, computer hacker. There's no more dealing with "Magic Fingers" any more, now it's bytes and K's, disks and Apples and Wangs.

Now we have Progress, so

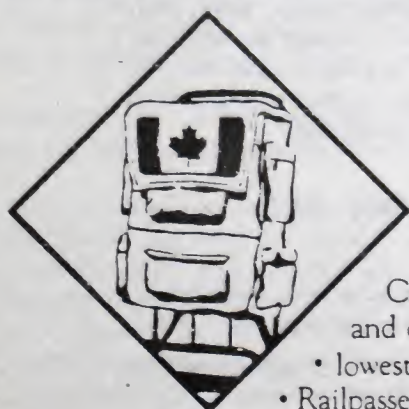
long as the batteries don't die or an encore water fight in J section occurs or the computer doesn't go "down" (as at any bank), we should be in great shape.

The other day the phone company arrived at the office of my employer (not Ted, but the other guy who actually pays me!). Ma Bell had arrived to announce an amazing breakthrough that would bring my boss's business into the Star Wars era. He took the bait hook, line and sinker (and chequebook). The result was a console that somewhat resembled the flightdeck of a Boeing 747. It included answering services, forward-

calling to your home number (why would you want someone you've been avoiding all day to reach you at home!) and conference calls. My boss balked at the satellite link-ups.

Now my employer (remember we're not talking about Ted here) can find his Aunt Matilda if she's driving her Cadillac to Hamner or aloft in the space shuttle. I was sitting at his cluttered desk when a buzzer sounded. I didn't know whether to answer the phone, wind my watch, or prepare for lift-off. This, in my opinion, isn't progress. This is madness!

David J. Noppe



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The Centre for

by Greg Huneault

Dou've made it to the big leagues. Enrolling in university has given you the confidence and security to ensure that you know exactly what you want, and have the knowledge of how to go about achieving your goals. Or has it.

If you have plotted your career aspirations and are comfortable with your progress, consider yourself fortunate. Many students haven't the slightest idea of what they are looking for in life, let alone what careers they wish to consider. With technologies in our society changing as rapidly as they are, an individual's social, personal and career needs and considerations change as a consequence.

One's occupation is directly related to one's emotional state...

With a myriad of factors to weigh when considering one's future, it may become difficult to maintain an objective and positive view of what is important and what is not. One may wish to pursue a career for the intrinsic gratification to be derived, but that career might conflict with pressure from oneself or from others to pursue a career for financial gain or social status. One thing most tend to overlook is that one's occupation is directly related to one's emotional state and sense of well-being.

With this concept of the relationship between one's career choice and personal requirements in mind, The Centre for Talent Development attends to the occupational and personal counselling of those who run the gamut from merely needing a bit of encouragement, to those who 'don't know what they want to be when they grow up'.

Paddy Blenkinsop, Director of the Centre for Talent Development, sees the mandate of the centre in terms of broad goals and objectives. Blenkinsop describes it as: "A pro-active service encouraging people to get involved in learning and (the) development process."

According to Blenkinsop, Laurentian had the "dubious distinction" of being one of the very few Canadian universities without a counselling service. He said that the demand for such a service is, "very large considering the needs demonstrated by the students coming in."

The Centre for Talent Development

As the individual responsible for setting the general direction and establishing policies of the centre, Blenkinsop explains that the broad goal is to: "help people identify what they want to do (because) to some it is not clear why they are here (university)".

He said that the first step is for a student to recognize that they would like some assistance in defining and establishing career goals. Through a variety of aptitude and self-assessment tests, the student might discover some hidden talents or interests.

A student who wishes to pursue or develop a previously weak skill identified in the test could find that this leads to a clearer path and better direction. In addition, Blenkinsop adds: "People might decide to develop their thinking more critically or creatively".

Conversely, the tests might help identify disguised or hidden problems which hinder or prevent the realization of goals. As well, difficulties studying or organizing time might be recognized and ameliorated. Citing difficulties with stress, general orientation to university and dealing with different relationships, Blenkinsop notes that there are many problems facing students.

Funded by the Counselling Foundation of Canada for the next five years, The centre consists of four staff members and provides various services widely used by other university counselling centres.

Mireille Drouin-Farmer, the centre's Career Counsellor, has been busy since early November gathering academic and career resources for the Information Centre. With reference books entitled What Jobs Pay, Future Work and What can you do With a University Degree as examples, and academic calendars of university and community college programs, the Information Centre's burgeoning library offers materials on specific careers and career planning.



The Centre for Talent Development
Mireille Drouin-Farmer Career Counsellor
Bergensen Personal Development
standing | to r Paddy Blenkinsop
Meilleur, Office Manager.

Drouin-Farmer's desire is, "not only to help the student look at himself, but to look at opportunities", as well. She counsels full-time, part-time and mature students who may be freshmen, or in their graduating year. She has seen first or second year students: "who don't have an idea of what to do, who aren't satisfied, or aren't succeeding well", and she has seen graduating students who are uncertain of either further pursuing their education or getting a job immediately upon graduating. Some may even consider college if their interests are addressed in college programs.

an idea of "who they are"

She views herself as a guide, someone who will show directions, but not someone who has the answers or will make decisions for the student. She encourages the student to take responsibility for his or her own actions.

During the first session, Mireille looks at the student's employment and school histories. Academic courses and jobs are isolated to determine what the student enjoyed the most and the least. Hobbies, volunteer work and other pertinent information are discussed to give Mireille and the student an idea of "who they are". As she points out, it is important to,

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consider realistic aspects according to an individual's interests and values (because) interest goes hand-in-hand with skills." By reinforcing and pursuing interests, the student can identify their needs and the developmental level to determine what should be done next.

Recognized tools of the trade such as 'the Self-Directed Search Guide to Educational and Vocational Planning' and aptitude tests help the student quickly identify such interests.

Other references such as the Strong-Campbell Test and the CHOICE program are designed to identify areas of interest and importance.

The CHOICE test is a computer program which lists 14 characteristics considered important to deciding on a career. Categories include: Education Level, Future Outlook, Earnings, and Training Requirements. Unfortunately, at present the cards must be sent to Montreal for two weeks to determine the results, but Mireille is excited about eventually obtaining the program for use at the centre.

Mireille also directs workshops to help students better prepare for job interviews. Through role-play, students identify with the interviewer and the subject. She says it is important the student, "be aware that they can prepare", and the bit of anxiety experienced during the workshop can help them deal more effectively with actual interviews.

"We live in a culture that dichotomizes"

Because of the considerable overlap between career and personal considerations, Personal Development Counsellor Sidney Bergensen is often involved with career counselling. It is Bergensen's job to find, "difficulties rooted in internal personal conflicts that may interfere with career choices." Bergensen says: "We live in a culture that dichotomizes", and often we tend to divorce work from personal interests when in fact they are related to each other.

He indicates that his role is, "oriented to psychological therapy", but he stresses that he will neither deny nor get hooked on personal problems. If there are specific problems, he will address them and move on. He sees his role as one that helps the student overcome conflicts and progress toward defining career goals.

As for pursuing career choices to meet personal needs and interests, Bergensen knows from whereof he speaks. Trained as a metallurgist, Bergensen is, "fascinated by how people function and operate", so he decided to change careers. He has only to write his dissertation to obtain his Doctorate in Educational Psychology, and is a member of the Ontario Institute for Studies in Education.

Bergensen notes that we live in a society that provides increased choices, but associated with these choices is an increased responsibility of the individual.

We can expect three career changes in our life

Citing Sudbury as a good example, Bergensen says that there is pressure for skill adaptation. Referring to the Data Center and local hospitals, he illustrates the fact that Sudbury has been a resource producer, but due to global influences, high tech is replacing the primary sector as a major area of employment.

It has been said that one can expect about three career changes in one's life. With the goal of providing; "students at Laurentian University with the means to take charge of their own learning and development within a lifelong perspective", a visit to the Centre for Talent Development might be a good career move.

The centre is located at G7 Student Street. Drop in or phone 675-1151 ext. 1041 for more information.

Update re: Justice Lost, last week's Lambda feature

by Greg Huneault
Lambda Features Editor

Bruce Curtis remains in a state of legal limbo. Two recent developments, however, may clear up the uncertainty, but not to his benefit.

As reported in last week's CUP feature in LAMBDA, Canadian Bruce Curtis faces an uncertain future in a New Jersey Prison. The twenty-two year old Nova Scotia native was imprisoned for "aggravated Manslaughter" despite compelling evidence to the contrary.

In the January 15 edition of Saint Mary's University's paper The Journal, Mark DeWolf indicated that Curtis' plight received two blows which may exacerbate his chances for clemency.

The first development occurred on December 24, 1986

when the Magistrate reviewing the petition of Habeas Corpus recommended to the Federal Judge that it be denied.

The second development involves an allegation by Professor Gerald Morris, International Law expert at University of Toronto. He alleges that Chief Prosecutor of Monmouth County, New Jersey, John Kaye, recently came to Canada to obtain assurances that Curtis would serve the ten years without parole (as stipulated by the New Jersey Court in his twenty year sentence) if he were transferred to a Canadian prison.

According to a story in The Chronicle Herald: "Professor Morris said he was told Mr. Kaye 'got no satisfaction from Ottawa', and officials made no promises or deals with the New Jersey prosecutor."

Mrs. Alice Curtis, Bruce's mother, says that "The (New Jersey) legislature passed the transfer treaty, but he (Kaye) is lobbying frantically against it."

A vigil in support of Curtis was held on January 24, and garnered nation-wide coverage. Saint Mary's paper reported that over 65 people attended the Halifax vigil despite adverse weather conditions.

The group marched to within sight of the office of James Walsh, Consul General for U.S.A., where a representative from the Bruce Curtis Defence Committee addressed aloud a letter to Mr. Walsh. The letter urged him to "lend the weight of his office" to the plea for clemency which is currently before Governor of New Jersey Thomas Kean.

THE UNDERGROUND

Athens G.A. Inside out
MCA records

by Greg Lawrence

You know the feeling you get when you stumble across something you've always wanted but never expected to have. That's the feeling I got the other day in a local record shop, while casually flipping through some albums. I fell onto one entitled *Athens, G.A.- Inside-Out*. Could it be. No! Really. Finally, an album featuring some of the best groups around the Athens music scene (arguably the underground capital).

Athens, G.A.- Inside-Out features the best of the best involved in the music scene, including two awesome R.E.M. tracks (The hauntingly classic "Swan, swan, H and a great cover of "Dream"). If this isn't enough to wet your palate, you also get The Bar-

b-q-Killers, The Squalls, The Jet Duo Tets, Pilon, and one of my personal favorites, "Love Tractor".

Don't let these seemingly obscure bands hinder you. They are great bands, this is a great album. For anyone who realizes that music goes beyond the sickening sentimental verbal diarrhea that dribbles out of the mouths of Corey Hart and Madonna (and all their A.M. Cohorts) then take a chance on this album. After all if Rock and Roll was meant to be conservative and safe we'd still be listening to Pat Boone. *Athens G.A.* captures the essence of Rock, its energy, its barroom closeness. This album carries the feel of being sweating it out drunk in a packed bar and what more could you ask for out of an album. You can find it on M.C.A. records, don't miss it.

Widow: full of surprises

BLACK WIDOW
Twentieth Century Fox

by Ingrid Havel

The black widow, Catherine, is played by seductive Theresa Russel, who goes from man to man changing her appearance in order to snare, marry and kill her rich catches.

She is pursued by only one suspecting investi-gator, Alex, played by Debra Winger. Her obsession with catching the spider lady becomes so consuming that she teams up with her in Hawaii, far away from the support of her friends in Seattle.

Along the way, several wealthy men are killed, and Alex has the misfortune of falling in love with the next victim. This is when the plot thickens, and of course, becomes tangled in its own web.

Other big names in this psychoogical thriller are Nicol Williamson and popular French actor Sami Frey as the sexy Paul Nuytten, millionaire hotel owner extra-



ordinaire.

I can't think of anything bad to say about this movie (sorry Ted). The acting is wonderful, real, and appropriately disturbing. The scenery of lush: Hawaii is a gorgeous backdrop to a lot of beautiful people, and very ordinary people as well. The costuming is stunning, ranging from Neimann-

Marcus, to Ralph Lauren, followed by easy tropical prints and a lot of tanned skin. The story is Ron Bass's exciting screenplay full of superb twists and surprises.

Black Widow is overall an enjoyable movie. Catch it at the Odeon, and as a free bonus, receive some Hawaiian sunshine!

"La Visite" fait rire

par Dominique Poulin

"La Visite ou surtout sentez vous pas obligés de venir", c'est l'histoire de Monique et Roger Aubry qui, pendant trente ans, ont vu se transformer leur appartement en Zoo, donnant asile à parents, amis et connaissances.

Présentée par le Théâtre du Nouvel Ontario, "La Visite", de Michel Marc Bouchard, est avant tout une comédie, une réflexion légère sur les effets de l'invasion de la visite.

Monique, l'hotesse parfaite, passe par le plaisir de recevoir et l'amour de l'amitié, à l'amour d'elle-même, (soi disant-égoïsme) et de la solitude. Tout cela ne fait quand même pas sans quelques grincements de dents!

Jouée par Marie Denyse Daudelin, Monique est bien en vie, mais c'est son mari Roger (Luc Thériault) qui réflète le mieux la frustration du couple face à la visite qui vient trop souvent et qui part toujours trop tard.

Les autres acteurs avaient à joué plusieurs différents rôles durant la soirée. Guylaine Guérin dans le rôle de Ginette, de Mme Paquette, de soeur Yvette, de Tante Lise et de Mariette, était remarquable. Pleine d'enthousiasme et très dynamique dans ces rôles, elle semblait changer de personnalité comme en un tour de main. C'est surprennant comment une si petite personne peut avoir une voix si forte!

J'ignore au juste où l'auteur voulait en venir. La Visite ne contient pas de révélations profondes et originales, c'est plutôt une caricature de personnages qui sont réels et bien en vie; nos vieilles tantes, nos amis trop proches et encombrants, nos cas de charités, nos cousins lointains, et ainsi de suite.

L'important, cependant, est que "La Visite" fait rire. Pour une soirée de rire, rendez-vous les 11,12, 13, et 14 mars à la Salle Vimy des Métallos unis, 92 rue Frood, Sudbury.



La visite de Monique n'a pas l'air contente!

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Intramural Update

by Don Anger

Men's intramural hockey came to a close a couple of weeks back, as champions were crowned in both A and B divisions. Congratulations go out to the Spad Lads for winning the A division, as well to AEF for capturing the B division.

The Spad Lads, a dark horse in the playoffs, met Huntington in the final, winning by a close 3-2 margin. It was the stay-at-home play of the Spad defense, anchored by Terry Dean and Rob MacGregor, and the scoring power of their offense, led by the Clarey brothers, Brian and Bob that won it for the Lads.

In B action, team AEF, favourites going into the play-offs, won in the final over the rival Weekend Warriors, with a 4-1 victory. AEF, known as an offensive threat, proved no different in this game, as four different players tallied goals for the team.

by Tony Yachuk

The men's intramural basketball season came to a close Thursday night as the Bomb Squad captured their third consecutive championship by defeating the Zeros 60-44. High scorers for the Bomb Squad were Woody with 15 points and Mike Powers with 14.

Craig Miles was the top gun for the Zeros, bucketing 15 points and also winning the MVP gamestar award. Jose's Garage and Huntington Hooplas tied for third.

The B division championship was once again captured by the Third Wave as Ken Handers was the recipient for the MVP honours. Second place went to Harlem Gooptrotters of UC and third to the U of S Stokers "B". Many thanks go to Peter Campbell and the men's varsity basketball team for excellent officiating throughout the year.

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Yes it is less than one week away from the Formal, get your tickets now from your favorite Don. You do not have to take a Date, but if you need one don't ask Gord to find you one! It is the social event of the season, it's the occasion where everyone gets spiffed up, spends lots of cash, and drinks quite extensively, and then wakes up the next morning at J's just in time for a midday drink and a good issue of *Cosmo*.

Kelly Gray was seen on three separate occasions this past week, leading her friends astray, shame on you Kelly, and stop giving out your pass key to drunken fools. And Kelly we didn't realize that your didn't like your room, but really it was not your bed! Gobi at least you got to sleep in your own bed, the floors in this residence are not all they are cracked up to be!

Can you believe this, major scoop time, Rob MacGregor and Colleen MacGregor sleep fully clothed, what is the world coming to! And thanks for the hat Rob, I think we'll keep it! Can we borrow those weights

some time! And thanks for not coming over Saturday!

Gord, Jen and Rainy decided they wanted to see how the other half lives last Thursday, We aren't really sure that the average human being consumes that much alcohol in a week much less in a night! Nice stickers, where is the beef! Is bagel with cream cheese better than ham salad, Kelly! What does "if you weren't special you wouldn't be here!" refer to anyway. Is this sticker thing an elite kind of activity, and who started that anyway. And yes, Jennifer we saw your damn pictures, over and over and over...

The Fosters Fighting Roos party was not the huge success that the coach had imagined it to be, things did start to rock when they moved to 1st floor M, thanks for the popcorn Punch, but leave the Frosh alone! There was a vast cross section of small furry creatures running around the next morning, not to mention the huge furry beaties. Woody don't even bother to comment, and John you are rude, crude, and decidedly ignorant. Mo

and Shirley got right in the spirit of things. Try not to keep your Don awake all night next time! And Dean, Jen was only being "entertaining" because she thought people might get bored anyway. And Ed what is that cologne, Kelly loves it.

Lore H. congratulations on staying up until 5 a.m. Friday night, and not going to bed until 3 a.m. was a pretty neat feat as well.

Water fights are not allowed in this residence ever again. M-11 and M-12 may have some sort of future in floor mopping but that's about it.

The Coors Light Pink Ladies went down in defeat to the SSR Girls last week, the score was a paltry 8-2, it was not particularly close, and the whole crew from the Pink Ladies would like to apologize to #8, they didn't haul you down on purpose. It's the new skates!

Y Sam and Associates

P.S. Marv that really was my twin sister, she has no taste in music what can I say!

Huntington Hi-lites

First of all, I must apologize for missing last week's issue of *Lambda*. The reading break was going so well I had to extend it for an extra week. It appears that a few of our friends met up with some sunshine over the break because there are a few darkened faces around (just wait til you peel!!). The past weekend had a lot of excitement in it as people got geared up for the second football classic of the year. Competition was fierce throughout but in the end it was the team of Vince, Cluey, Lynn and Ziggy who pulled out the final victory. The night started early for a lot of the losing teams, however, as many of them participated in a bash in Pye's room. The entertainment didn't start until midnight though at which time Mark and Dave decided to find out who had the best pitching style. The casualty

of that event was the G-H lounge and at least 24 broken beer bottles scattered everywhere. I-J seemed to welcome the return of Suzanne as the girls tied one on just like the good old days.

The Huntington waterpolo teams are doing fine in their two weekend event. At least three of the four teams will make the playoffs and Bert seems to be shooting for the scoring championship. Is there anyone who can catch him in an innertube. Congratulations to our new proctors for next year, Vince, Tammy, Greg and Exilda. Elections for council are this Monday so lets see everyone go out and vote! On a closing note I've noticed many first year accounting students pulling their hair out in preparation for their mid-term. don't get too upset over this one, there's always the final!

Unicornia

Well UCites, it's that time of year again. That's right, FORMAL WEEK. Congrats to all the newly appointed dons and just a quick warning, the LEGEND is coming (April 19th)! Last Friday night was fight night at City Lights, which saw A.J. do his best hit 'n' run impression, but something like that builds character, right Buzz. Did someone happen to tell Branner to leave the furniture where it is. You know Rail's getting old when he passes out two nights in a row, and "that's the whole shoe, and nothing but the shoe, tell it to God." Also last Friday Kenny did his best impression of the puke scene in "The Meaning of Life" during a game of Mexxie.

Saturday saw a number of floor crawls and draft balls with a follow-up party on 7th floor. The only excitement Billy and Al could find was to visit A.G.'s clothing store, really guys trying on the merchandise. Well it's back, aggressive girls hockey and I

stress the word aggressive or would goon-show be better.

As for the people who were disturbed at last week's column, I didn't write it, HE did. As for Darrin who can't define the word "supper", it's hanging around third. As for the quote of the week, it comes from Don Johnston (congrats on the Residence advisor job), "To play head games you have to be very smart or very stupid." Or just like abuse! Well it's time for the Formal "Mix 'n' Match". It's up to you to try and figure out who's going with who.

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Well, that's all for now. Thanks go out to Lisa and Don, but I live on the other side of the building. Hope your Formal is a good on.

Marv (Madonna's #1 Fan)
(Him)

Strokers box

Ya, hi there Stokers.

Ramms was just realizing that Strokers Box will only have 5 more "hellos" before the entire school year is out - ooo, scary stuff! Speaking of scary stuff, Friday night after the Hip & Yup party, Ramms caught a pig's eye view of Shaun G. and Lynn looking for a vacant single, tsk-tsk. Some people don't waste any time. Few, but other cozy couples on the dance floor that night were Keri G. and Kraig K., and Teri S. and some unknown boy from out of res. Notice the Ramms said "boy".

Despite the lack of open sex on the dance floor, as usual, Ramms could see that every-

one was having a riot. The opening ceremonies were a super idea - hey Dick and Lori are you still finding caps. And congrats Guy D., do you practice or what!

Now, the following night Ramms had a good time at the exotic drinks party. However, Ramms hates it when the punch bowl runs out!

So tell us Nancy L. have you asked Luc C. to banquet yet. Teri, have all those guys stopped flocking to your door for a banquet date. What's your secret, eh. - HUMMANNA! HUMMANNA! And Domo and Marc - listen guys Ramms hears your're wearing down the carpets on all the girls

floors. Ya know, going stag ain't so bad - it's their loss right!!

Well, Ramms' question was answered once again. 3rd Brown captured the overall girls ball hockey championships - all right! And as usual, 2nd Brown did the same - way to go!

Okay, well Ramms is gonna run and power read some of the readings that have been left on the shelf for too long - you know, exams are fast approaching.

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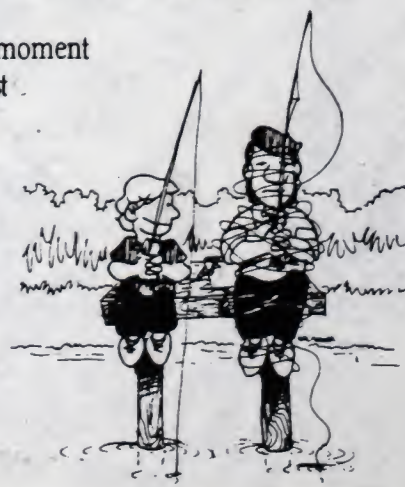
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Lance O'Bottomly P.I.



Dear/Cher Pierre

by Brian Bourdon

Lance and Sgt. Portly, in the midst of a heated discussion over the ethics of using American pattern rocket launchers to clear congested traffic, failed to notice the approach of a grave danger.

"Well, well O'Bottomly. So we meet again!" The voice belonged to none other than Dolt derVerruckte, the fanatical leader of the infamous Laurentian Ukelele Terror Squad, otherwise known as the men from L.U.T.S.

Lance wheeled about to face his tormentor. "Dolt, what are you doing here."

Dolt answered only after a long, dramatic pause. "This," Dolt said with some pride, "is the location of my secret headquarters. I'm going to take both of you prisoner and this time there will be no escape."

The crazed terrorist made an odd gesture with his left hand and within moments, the entire L.U.T.S. disembarked from their ominous looking van, surrounding both Lance and Sgt. Portly. Vastly outnumbered, the two security agents assumed a defensive posture and prepared for the worst.

Just then, Lance suffered from one of his rare flashbacks. As a boy undergoing the problems.

rigorous martial arts training at an ancient and little known monastery situated in Hamner, Lance was about to learn a valuable lesson in Oriental philosophy.

"Just as milk flows from the mother cow, so must knowledge flow from the teacher to the student," said master Kwong, Lance's blind teacher, as he pointed to an appropriate farm animal.

"Pay close attention," Kwong continued, as he stepped around the side of the animal and proceeded to milk it. Funny, the young Lance thought, cows didn't usually have terribly large horns. They also had more than one udder.

"Aargh," yelled master Kwong, as the lesson ended abruptly.

Lance quickly regained his grasp on reality. The men from L.U.T.S. pulled no punches and played a medley of old Beatles' tunes on their badly tuned ukuleles of Communist bloc origin. The sound, more lethal than an overdose of van, surrounding both Lance and Sgt. Portly. Having achieved the desired result, Dolt ordered his ment to halt, which they did, keeping their ukuleles at the ready in case of unforeseen problems.

"You see, my friend, resistance is useless. Soon I will rule the entire free world!" said Dolt. Sensing that the ultimate victory was near, the crazed leader let loose a very sinister laugh.

"Eh." interrupted Lance. In the parlance of the private investigator, this simple phrase really meant "I think I missed the boat back there." Lance was unable to comprehend how one could plan to rule the free world from Villefranche.

Dolt, magnanimous in victory, explained further. "Villefranche is actually going to be used as a brothel, er ... I mean a tourist resort for high level Canadian politicians. Once we capture them, they will be of much use in our plan for world domination."

"What about the Laurentian University students who are supposed to study here." asked the good Sergeant, obviously in shock.

"Students, what students." Dolt answered as he and his followers broke into peals of laughter. As Lance and Sgt. Portly trundled into captivity, they couldn't help suspecting that Smirnoff had somehow omitted a few important details from their secret instructions.

Dear Pierre,

When I returned home from the pub last thursday I realized that I had been Labelled; I was "beef", my best friend was "turkey", and my girlfriend was "bagel with cream cheese". Is this some kind of new rating system, are there special rankings attached to each label, and why did the people behind the bar look different. Who started this trend and what is next week's treat.

Deli-lited

Dear Deli,

It is a new rating system. The most coveted label is, of course, the "cheese on a Kaiser", I notice that none of your friends were so labelled. This is an obvious statement of the Pub's meat market potential.. The reason the people behind the bar seemed different was because some of the regulars took the night off to socialize, and harrass the heck out of everyone else. They were still working, but in mysterious ways. It is unfortunate that until the next label delivery, Laurentian will have mystery sandwiches

P.S. Pass the aspirin.

Dear Pierre,

I do alot for my friends, but I think I'm being abused. My pal the 'za woman recently brought home a young man, unfortunatly she brought him to my home, to my room, to my bed! Needless to say, I had to sleep on the floor. What do you think of this behaviour Pierre, is it socially acceptable to do such things! Should I take this matter to my Don, or what!

Sore Back

Dear S.B.

Obviously you are a very special person, if you weren't you wouldn't be here. Anyway your friend is rude, crude, and socially unacceptable. Any social worker would have a hard time in straightening this problem out, but my advice is simple; don't let her

or anyone that looks like her anywhere near your apartment. I do know of a dog breeder that can get you a great deal on a couple of dobermans. If she tries this stunt again, give her an itchy blanket, and a washcloth, and she should get the message.

Yo Pierre,

Lately every time I drink I wake up with small furry creatures running rampant in my mouth. Where do they come from, and who lets them in!

Invaded

Dear Invaded,

These beasties are luckily harmless, but are quite annoying. It has been rumoured that they are a result of drinking the wrong brand of beer, or it could be the company you have been keeping. Also check to make sure all of your stuffed animals are intact.

Cher Pierre,

Savais-tu que sur plus de 200 applications à Villefranche, seulement 10 sont franco-phones!

Informé

Cher Informé,

C'est pas surprenant, les francophones sont assez intelligent pour savoir que tant qu'à aller en France pour étudier, mieux vaut aller à une université française, qu'une université canadienne!

Cher Pierre,

J'ai récemment entendu dire que Dr. Daniel à reçu des honneurs du gouvernement français, quel est la vrai raison derrière ces honneurs.

curieux

Cher Curieux,

Le gouvernement français n'est pas stupide. Dr. Daniel leur envoit plus de 200 étudiants qui verseront des milliers de dollars dans l'économie française. Naturellement, ils sont bien contents de lui.

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Of interest to graduating students. The internship program forms are now available. This spring the Ontario government will return to university campuses to hire about 100 students under the Ontario Public Service Internship Program. Forms must be received before March 27. All interns will be hired as unclassified contract staff, 2 year training program with a salary of \$25,900.

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Human resources consultant
Pest management specialist
These jobs and many others are of interest to students in

all faculties! So hurry, come pick up your information folders.

OTHER PERMANENT POSITIONS AVAILABLE

Public Service Canada has opening in Sudbury for bilingual trainees (permanent). These are open to graduating students in business, economics, finance and admin. Deadline is March 20.

Money Concepts (North York) firm looking for Financial Planning Consultant. This is an international firm - super opportunity, see our file. Deadline is March 20, interviews on campus.

Federal Development Bank (Timmins) is looking for a

loans officer person to train as a commercial loans officer. Deadline is March 20.

University of Western Ontario needs a Technical Specialist in Geology (will be responsible for two electron microphones and associated equipment and quantitative analysis of a broad range of geological samples). Need Honours B.S. in Geology or related disciplines. Forms are in the office. Deadline is March 29.

McLeave International (Burlington) is looking to hire a truck leasing and sales representative (super package deal, the company has an international dealership). Looking for business oriented people. Deadline is March 20, interviews on campus.

Noranda Mines is looking for a metallurgical engineer (permanent position). Deadline is March 25. Summer jobs are also available. Interviews on campus.

Schneiders (Timmins) is looking for a sales representative. Interviews on campus.

SUMMER JOBS

Last notice for COSEP jobs. Deadline March 13 (Career oriented work for the federal government, \$7.60 per hour).

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